



JoniMitchell.com Transcription for Guitar

Eastern Rain

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DGDGBD, 'Joni' Tuning: D57543, Capo: 5

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Note: Fret indications are the positions starting from the capo.

Intro:

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D -----7--9--7-----7-----7--9--7-----7-----|
A -----8-----8-----8-----8-----8-----|
F# -----7-----7-----7-----7-----7-----|
D -----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----|
A ---0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----|
D -----|

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D -----5-----5-----5-----5-----5-----|
A -----6-----6-----6-----6-----6-----|
F# -----5-----5-----5-----5-----5-----|
D -----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----|
A ---0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----|
D -----|

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D -----7--9--7-----7-----7--9--7-----7-----|
A -----8-----8-----8-----8-----8-----|
F# -----7-----7-----7-----7-----7-----|
D -----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----|
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D -----5-----5-----5-----5-----5-----|
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1st verse:

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Rain comes from the east one night

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We watch it come

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 To hang like beaded curtains 'til

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the morning sun

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Water dripping from our clothes

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555555 000000
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You with raindrops on your nose

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You ask me sadly please don't go

D -----0-----|
A -----0--1----1--0--1--0-----|
F# -----0-----1--0-----|
D -----0-----1--0-----|
A ---0-----|
D -----|
a- way now

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Until the rain is done I say I'll

D -----0-----|
A -----0--1----1--0--1---1---1---1-----|
F# -----0----- (0) - (0) - (0) - (0) ----|
D -----0-----|
A ---0-----|
D -----|
 stay now

D -----0-----|
A -----0--1----1--0--1---1---1---1-----|
F# -----0----- (0) - (0) - (0) - (0) ----|
D -----0-----|
A ---0-----|
D -----|

2nd verse:

Rain outside but inside
We don't mind at all
Shadows by the fire
Slowly climb and fall
Kisses fade and leave no trace
Whispers vanish into space
Dawn will send me on a chase to nowhere
I cry as if I were the first to go there

Chorus:

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And I know I shouldn't be here

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Yes I know I should go home

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 000000 000010 000013 000010
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But that Eastern rain drones in my brain

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 And I'm so all alone - so all

D -----0-----|
A -----0--1----1--0--1---1---1---1-----|
F# -----0----- (0) - (0) - (0) - (0) -----|
D -----0-----|
A ---0-----|
D -----|
alone

D -----0-----|
A -----0--1----1--0--1---1---1---1-----|
F# -----0----- (0) - (0) - (0) - (0) -----|
D -----0-----|
A ---0-----|
D -----|

3rd verse:

Morning comes up from the East
We watch it come
And far away now rolls
the ancient rain god's drum
You with daybreak in your eyes
Afraid to speak for telling lies
I watch you search for some reply to lend me
But when the rain is done there's no pretending

Chorus:

And I know I shouldn't be here
Yes I know I should go home
But that Eastern rain drones in my brain
And I'm so all alone - so all

D -----0-----1--0-----0-----|
A -----0----1----1--0--1--0-----0-----|
F# -----0-----1--0--1--0-----0-----|
D -----0-----1--0--1--0h1--0h1--0-----|
A ---0-----1--0h1--0h1--0-----|
D -----|
alone